# KCAL-TV Programs and Issues Report First Quarter January-March 2006

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# **POLITICS**

## **NEW LAWS IN 2006**

## January 1, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:18)

KCAL9 Anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on the new laws that went into effect among them a ban on political candidates using text messaging to transmit campaign ads, an attempt to reduced attacks on people by certain dog breeds and a bill aimed at preventing AIDS and other diseases.

## **ASK THE MAYOR SEGMENT**

# January 4, 9-10p newscast (TRT 3:30)

In our weekly segment 'Ask The Mayor' Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa addressed some issues as well as answered some questions asked by our viewers they included: Rose Bowl Highlights, LAUSD Schools, Graffiti Crackdown, Immigration Laws/LAPD, DWP bottled water and LAPD crime stats.

## STATE OF THE STATE ADDRESS

# January 5, 10-11p newscast (TRT 3:01)

KCAL9 Political Reporter Dave Bryan reported on the state of the state address in which Governor Schwarzenneger covered topics that included his ban on Canadian drugs and his huge infrastructure plan.

# **IRAQ/BLACK HAWK DOWN**

# January 8, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:28)

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on twelve American that were killed when a U.S. Army Blackhawk helicopter went down in Iraq.

#### **ALITO PREVIEW**

# January 8, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:45)

KCAL9's Elaine Quijano reported on the preview to Supreme Court nominee Samuel Alito's confirmation.

## **ALITO HEARINGS**

# January 10, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Political Reporter Dave Bryan reported on Alito's first day of hearings where he answered questions on several controversial issues.

## **POPE SHOOTER**

# January 12, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:40)

KCAL9's Charlie D'Agata reported on the release from a Turkish prison of the man who shot Pope John Paul II nearly 25 years ago.

## **INTELLIGENT DESIGN**

# January 12, 12P-1p newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on upset parents who are suing to stop the teaching of creationism in a public school because they claim is unconstitutional.

## **BIN LADEN TONIGHT**

# January 19, 9-10p newscast (TRT 3:16)

KCAL9's Political Reporter Dave Bryan reported on the latest audio tape that was broadcasted by AL-JAZEERA TV, the CIA confirmed that it was indeed the voice of Bin Laden.

## **JOURNALISTS INJURED**

## January 29, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:33)

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on the condition of ABC's anchor Bob Woodruff and his cameraman after being injured by a roadside bomb near Baghdad.

## **BUSH STATE OF THE UNION**

# January 31, 10-11p newscast (TRT 4:00)

KCAL9's Political Reporter Dave Bryan reported on the issues addressed by President Bush in his State of the Union Address, one of the issues was mid-east oil.

## **MAYOR'S REACTION**

# January 31, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:24)

KCAL9's Anchor/Reporter Linda Alvarez reported on Mayor Villaraigosa's Spanish response to the Governor's state of the union address on behalf of the Democratic Party.

## **BUSH SOU REACT**

# February 1, 9-10p newscast (TRT 4:30)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on a speech in Nashville where the president repeated his call for America to wean itself off Middle Eastern oil, but told an interviewer that he doesn't expect any price breaks when it comes to what Americans are paying to run their cars.

## **BUSH COMPETITION**

# February 3, 9-10p newscast (TRT:40)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on a speech in Dallas where the president spoke to students and teachers at one of the nation's top magnet schools about the importance of having a workforce strong in engineering and science to compete with other countries.

## ARNOLD / CARONA FUNDRAISER

# February 3, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:14)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on Orange County sheriff Mike Carona who was kicked off his campaign for a third term.

## **INTEL/ TERRORISM**

# February 3, 9-10p newscast (TRT 3:00)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on a democratic committee that confronted the chiefs of the nations intelligence agencies on domestic eavesdropping while blasting the administration on the handling of the domestic surveillance program.

## **WIRETAP HEARINGS**

# February 5, 9-10p newscast (TRT 3:00)

KCAL9's Anchor/Reporter Dave Clark reported on the hearings by the Senate to authorize President Bush to approve wiretaps by the National Security Agency.

## **DOMESTIC SPYING**

# February 6, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's Claudia Coffey reported on Attorney General Alberto Gonzales facing tough questions from a senate committee about the Bush administrations controversial domestic spying program.

# **MILITARY BUDGET**

# February 7, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:49)

KCAL9's Aleen Sirgany reported on the unveiling of President Bush's new two-point-seven trillion-dollar budget which includes an increase of 440- million dollars in military spending.

## **BUSH SIGNS BUDGET**

# February 8, 9-10p newscast (TRT:40)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on a law signed by President Bush that seeks to reduce Medicaid and Medicare spending. The president says if something is not done now, future generations will face tax increases and other cuts to reduce the deficit.

## **BUSH TERROR PLOT**

# February 9, 2-3p newscast (TRT:47)

KCAL9's anchor Mia Lee reported on President Bush revealing details of an alleged Al Queda plot to attack L-A three years ago, which included using commercial airplanes and shoe bombs to attack the U-S Bank tower in downtown L-A.

## PATRIOT ACT COMPROMISE

# February 9, 9-10p newscast (TRT:25)

KCAL9's anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on a small group of republican holdouts that struck a deal with the White House on changes to the anti-terror legislation, which would impact how libraries provide information in terror investigations.

## VILLARAIGOSA SUBWAY

## February 15, 9-10p newscast (TRT:43)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on Mayor Villaraigosa's five-billion-dollar proposal to extend L-A's subway to the sea.

## CHENEY

# February 16, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:42)

KCAL9's Jennifer Donelan reported on President Bush's reaction to Vice President Cheney's explanation of his hunting accident after going public.

#### **CHENEY INTVW**

# February 16, 3-4p newscast (TRT:43)

KCAL9's anchor Mia Lee reported on Vice President Cheney's public comments after his hunting accident while answering criticism over why a private citizen released the news.

## **U-S PORTS UAE**

# February 19, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:16)

KCAL9's anchor Dave Clark reported on the US security concerns being caused by an Arab country's attempt to take over several US ports.

## **PORT SECURITY**

# February 21, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on the White House approval to a plan that allows 6 major ports in the U-S to be managed by a company based in the United Arab Emirates.

## JESSICA'S LAW

# February 21, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on an initiative that creates tougher penalties for sex offenders, one of which requires offenders to wear a tracking device for life.

## **DMV REAL ID ACTS**

# February 23, 9-10p newscast (TRT:40)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on proposed ID cards issued by the DMV for US citizens boarding planes or entering federal buildings.

# **CAMEJO FOR GOVERNOR**

# February 23, 9-10p newscast (TRT:33)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on Green party activist Peter Camejo's race for governor candidacy.

## **HOT DEVELOPMENT ELECTION**

# February 24, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:53)

KCAL9's Mark Sayre reported on the heated debate between supporters/opponents who get to vote on a new housing development.

## **MOUSSAOUI**

# February 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:04)

KCAL9's Drew Levinson reported on the trial of Zacarias Moussaoui and how he admitted his plan to hi-jack a fifth plane into the white house.

## PORTS DEAL

# February 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:03)

KCAL9's Aleen Sirgany reported on Senator plans to introduce a bill for Congress approval to turn over U.S. port operations to an Arab-owned company.

## **BUSH/AFGHANISTAN**

# March 1, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:15)

KCAL9's Dave Clark reported on president Bush's surprise visit to Afghanistan, his first stop on his overseas tour.

#### **BUSH INDIA**

# March 3, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Aleen Sirgany reported on the violent anti-American protests as president Bush toured India pleading for global trade and anti-terrorism.

## **NSA SPYING**

# March 7, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on a message sent to the White House from key senate republicans stating that unless the White House agrees to congressional oversight, they will push for a full-scale investigation into eavesdropping on Americans suspected of having terror ties.

## **IRAN-CHENEY BUSH**

# March 7, 9-10p newscast (TRT 3:29)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on a warning from Vice President Dick Cheney to the Iranian government to stop the enrichment of nuclear fuel or consequences will take into action.

## **BUSH/KATRINA**

# March 8, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Teri Okita reported on President Bush heading to New Orleans to survey the area despite complaints from frustrated residents that recovery efforts were moving too slow.

## **PORTS DEAL**

# March 9, 9-10p newscast (TRT 3:17)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on how the United Arab Emirates cancelled its plan to manage operations at 6 ports on the east and gulf coasts.

#### **SLOBODAN DEATH**

# March 11, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9 anchor Dave Clark reported on the death of Slobodan Milosevic, Yugoslavia's last dictator and how his death has suddenly ended one of history's biggest war crimes trials.

## **GAZA VIOLENCE**

# March 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:46)

KCAL9's Charlie D'Agata reported on how Palestinian militants are targeting Americans and Europeans after an Israeli raid on a West Bank Prison.

## **NEW BUSH POLICY**

# March 16, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:41)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on the government's new updated national security plan to protect America.

#### **GOV ARNOLD VISION**

## March 16, 9-10p newscast (TRT 3:10)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on Governor Schwarzenegger's guarantee that his infrastructure bond package will return, after the package was caught in a flurry of charges.

## **OPERATION SWARMER**

## March 17, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:35)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on a prediction made from a U-S military commander that the Iraqi military will soon be in control of three-quarters of the country.

# ARNOLD / MCCAIN FUNDRAISER

## March 20, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:45)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on a major fundraiser for Governor Schwarzenegger that is expected to net almost two million dollars for his re-election campaign.

#### **ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION**

## March 23, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:23)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on President Bush's attempt to find common ground on both sides of the immigration reform issue.

#### STUDENT WALKOUT

## March 27, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:59)

KCAL9's anchor David Jackson reported on Congress' plan to overhaul the system in wake of the protests against immigration reform.

## **SENATE / IMMIGRATION**

# March 28, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:41)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on an immigration reform bill headed to the senate that makes it easier for undocumented workers to become citizens while also tightening border patrol.

## **POLITICAL IMMIGRATION**

# March 28, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:18)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on two different versions from the House of Representatives and a senate committee on how immigration reform should work.

## **ANDREW CARD RESIGNS**

## March 28, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:17)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on details of the resignation of Andrew Card, the president's chief of staff.

## **IMMIGRATION**

## March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Claudia Coffey reported on the split in the Republican Party caused over the immigration reform bill, leaving the Senate to debate the 2 versions.

## **BURGLARY RING BUST**

# January 3, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:39)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on a burglary ring bust that pulled off more than 150 crimes and now police have recovered all of the items that were stolen. Information was provided so that people may be able to get their items back.

## REDISTRIBUTING TERROR

## January 3, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:05)

KCAL9 anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on the cities that will be receiving anti-terrorism money, the department of homeland security wants to make sure the money is distributed to the right places.

## **CRIME STATS**

# January 5, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:14)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on the latest statistics for the city of L.A. that show that for the third straight year crime is down in Los Angeles.

## **BACA TERROR CONFERENCE**

# February 9, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Dave Clark reported on an Anti-terrorism conference to be held in London where many top officials were headed among them local sheriff Lee Baca.

## **MISSING CHILD**

# January 10, 3-3:30p newscast (TRT 1:36)

KCAL9'S Greg Phillips reported on a stolen SUV with a baby inside. The cell phone company wasn't able to track the vehicle down and officials want answers.

## **TUSTIN SURVELLIANCE**

# January 10, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:08)

KCAL9's Jennifer Sabih reported on new surveillance video that shows the face and voice of a man responsible for a string of robberies in the city of Tustin.

## **HARBOR EXPLOSIVES**

# January 11, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on explosives that were found near the Huntington harbor.

## **UCLA ATTACKS**

# January 11, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:14)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on a sketch police released of the man attacking women near the UCLA campus.

# **ROAD RAGE INCIDENT**

# January 11, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:41)

KCAL9's Greg Mills reported from the city of Azusa about an innocent woman who died when she was hit by a stray bullet during a road rage incident while a toddler was in the middle of it all.

# **24 HOUR FITNESS ROBBED**

# January 12, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Michelle Gile reported on a robbery that happened in the 24-hour fitness gym leaving club members concerned.

# **CAGED CHILDREN FOLLOW**

# January 12, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on the latest details on a home in Santa Barbara where a woman kept her adopted children in deplorable conditions.

## **SEXUAL ASSAULTS**

# January 12, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:29)

KCAL9's Sandra Mitchell reported on a warning for women in the wake of two recent brazen attacks one in which a woman was almost raped.

## **AIRPORT PUFFER**

# January 12, 10-11p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9 weekend anchor Glen Walker reported on a new device called 'Ion Scan Sentinel Two Portal,' it can analyze the presence of gun power and other explosives in only 17 seconds. The nation's busiest airports will be equipped with them in the Spring.

# **AMBER ALERT ANNIVERSARY**

# January 15, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:33)

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Amber alert named after the young Texas girl who was abducted and murdered.

## **CLARENCE RAY ALLEN EXECUTION**

# January 15, 9-10 newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's Glen Walker reported on the turn down of Allen's appeal before the Federal Appeal's court and how he will be the oldest man to be executed in California despite his many ailments.

## **SEX OFFENDERS GPS**

## January 19, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:26)

KCAL9 anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on how state lawmakers debate a law to make high-risk sex offenders who are on probation or on parole wear a tracking device on their ankle.

## PRIEST ARREST

# January 19, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9'S Suzie Suh reported on a local priest who was arrested as he got off a plane for molesting children in the past. He had never been arrested before because too much time had gone by.

## SADDAM ON TRIAL

# January 29, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:47)

KCAL9 anchor Dave Clark reported on the trial of Saddam Hussein as a new judge preceded and set the court rules straight for Hussein's legal tam.

## **POST OFFICE SHOOTING**

# January 31, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:10)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on a shooting rampage at a postoffice in Santa Barbara county that left five people dead and one critically wounded before turning the gun on herself.

#### OIS CHINO

# January 31, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Greg Mills reported on the investigation of a videotaped shooting between an officer and an un-armed man. The tape showed the man was not resisting arrest.

## **DEVON BROWN**

# January 31, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:05)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on the police commission findings about officer Steve Garcia who shot and killed 13-year old Devon Brown. LAPD chief Bratton had justified the officer for the killing while the commission said it was the wrong thing to do.

## FREEWAY ATTACKS

# January 31, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:13)

KCAL9 Orange County reporter Michelle Gile reported an ongoing investigation about recent freeway attacks where someone is throwing bricks at passing cars.

## OIS CHINO

# February 1, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:42)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Greg Mills reported on a shooting caught on videotape of a deputy shooting an unarmed man for no explained reason.

# **FEMALES GROPED**

# February 1, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:30)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on a warning to women who worked or shop in the Manhattan Beach area after three different suspects have been coming into retail stores groping female employees.

## **OFFICERS SHOT AT**

# February 1, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's anchor/reporter Dave Clark reported on a L-A-P-D officer that was ambushed and shot at by suspected gang members while waiting for backup.

## **FIVE-YEAR-OLD ROBBED**

# February 2, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's reporter Rick Chambers reported on a five-year-old girl that was robbed outside a market while her mother was inside shopping.

# **BLOCKBUSTER ROBBERIES**

# February 2, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:23)

KCAL9's reporter Suzie Suh reported on two video stores in the South Bay that were robbed at gunpoint.

## **DRUG TUNNEL**

# February 3, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL 9's Stacy Butler reported on an exclusive investigation into one of the largest drug tunnels ever discovered under the California-Mexico border

## **UNMANNED SURVELLANCE**

# February 3, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's Suraya Fadel reports on a high tech vehicle that could help L.A county Sheriff's Dept in tactical situations and is being put to the test.

## **ANTI-TAGGING**

# February 3, 12p-1p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9 Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on a new invention that might help wash away graffiti for good.

## **DIRTY DOG**

# February 3, 12-1p newscast (TRT 5:06)

KCAL9 Investigative reporter David Goldstein reported on malnourished Mexican puppies being smuggled across the border and sold all across southern California.

## **PRISON RIOT FOLLOW -UP**

# February 5, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:28)

KCAL9's Christina Penza reported on a debate about the safety of the L.A. jail system following a deadly riot at detention center.

#### **UNMANNED SURVEILANCE**

# February 6, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:10)

KCAL9's Suraya Fadel reported on the L-A County Sheriff's Department's new high tech "drone" that will get an aerial perspective on unlawful activity.

## JAIL RIOTING

# February 7, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:23)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on a meeting conducted by L.A. County officials regarding the recent jail rioting where Sheriff Lee Baca was a no show.

## **SKINHEAD RESURGENCE**

# February 7, 10-11p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported on the resurgence of skinhead activity in some Southern California counties, citing such causal factors as hate music and white supremacists on the Internet.

## **STOLEN COMPUTERS**

# February 8, 4-5p newscast (TRT:45)

KCAL9's anchor Harold Green reported on missing thieves who stole computers and damaged a middle school classroom.

## **REAX SEX OFFENDER**

# February 12, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:16)

KCAL9's investigative reporter David Goldstein reported on state parole officers violating the law and hiding sex offenders near schools and possibly across the state.

## JAIL DEATH

# February 13, 10-11p newscast (TRT:29)

KCAL9's David Jackson reported on 600 county inmates being transferred to state prison after a brawl broke out between black and Latino inmates, leaving one man dead.

## **NEW BIKE COPS**

# February 15, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:23)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on efforts made by the police department to double the power of its bicycle force, which will keep an eye on areas frequented by families.

#### SEX CRIME/PASTOR

# February 15, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Orange County reported Michele Gile reported on a pastor suspected of molesting at least four children.

# SCHOOL CAMERA ARREST

# February 16, 10-11p newscast (TRT:39)

KCAL9's anchor Pat Harvey reported on the arrest of a school custodian after setting up a hidden camera in the girls' locker room.

## **INTERNET PORN**

## February 22, 8-9p newscast (TRT:42)

KCAL9's anchor Pat Harvey reported on an internet sting that led to the arrest of 13 men, including a veteran of the C-H-P, for an attempted child molestation.

## **OFFICER DOWN**

# February 23, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:25)

KCAL9's Lisa Sigell reported on breaking news where an off-duty officer was shot in the face and the gunman was able to get away.

## LITTLE LEAGUE THEFT

# February 25, 8-9p newscast (TRT:40)

KCAL9 anchor Linda Alvarez reported on the theft of a little league's equipment worth several thousand dollars.

#### **DISTRACTION CRIME**

# February 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:13)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on what the LAPD is doing to protect seniors form scam artist who distract them so they can quickly rob them of their money and belongings.

## **CHP STAND DOWN**

# February 27, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on the CHP internal investigation to review the agency's policies and procedures out in the field to avoid more officer deaths.

#### **DISTRACTION CRIME**

# February 27, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:04)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on new information from the police department to help people protect themselves from thieves who show up in front of their doorstep posing as someone trust-worthy.

## **FEMALE ROBBER**

# February 28, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:42)

KCAL9 Orange County reporter Michelle Gile reported on the search for a female robber who was caught on tape shooting at a teenager.

## **SEX OFFENDER ROUNDUP**

# February 28, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:18)

KCAL9's Stacey Butler reported on an exclusive story where a sex offender was caught setting up meetings with children after arranging a date with the wrong person.

## **CROSSING GUARD INJURED**

# March 1, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:10)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on a hit and run accident where a 50-year-old crossing guard was left in critical condition.

## ARMORED CAR ROBBERY

# March 3, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:40)

KCAL9's Orange County reported Michele Gile reported on a shootout in the city of Long Beach where an armored truck guard shot a suspected robber in the chest while some of the other robbers got away and police found the getaway van.

## **MOTORCYCLE CAM**

## March 3, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:46)

KCAL9's Stacy Butler reported on a motorcycle collusion that was caught on tape from the victim's helmet that helped save her life.

## **TILLMAN INVESTIGATION**

## March 6, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Joie Chen reported on the ongoing investigation of N-F-L star Pat Tillman and how his fellow army rangers could face criminal charges for his death.

## **MY SPACE SETUP**

# March 6, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on the internet website MySpace.com and how it led to the arrest of a man police said wanted to have sex with a 15 year old girl.

#### DASH CAMS

# March 7, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:56)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on proposed dashboard cameras for L-A-P-D cruisers and their expensive costs.

#### CHINO OIS / NC

# March 7, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:16)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on how a San Bernardino County sheriff deputy will face charges after a home video caught the deputy firing on an unarmed airman on the ground.

## **ATF RAIDS**

## March 9, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on the bust of one of the most notorious biker gangs in the southland, which more than 700 federal and local law enforcement officers pulled off.

## **CARRION OIS STATEMENT**

## March 9, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Greg Mills reported on the videotaped shooting of an Iraq war veteran by a San Bernardino sheriff's deputy. The victim appeared to be complying with orders when the deputy shot him.

# **FBC INTERNET TIPS**

## March 9, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:46)

KCAL9's Stacy Butler reported on a new warning from the F-B-I about online predators.

## KIDNAPPING SUSPECT

## March 9, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:25)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on a missing woman whose children are pleading for the suspected kidnapper to return her safely.

## **BATTERED WOMEN'S SUIT**

## March 9, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:44)

KCAL9 anchor Glen Walker reported on a battered woman's fight for freedom after being convicted of murder more than twenty-years ago.

# **GRAFFITI MURDER**

## March 11, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Ross Palombo reported on a man who was shot and killed by two gang members after trying to stop them from tagging a neighbor's house.

#### **DEAD BABY**

## March 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Kimberly Ball reported on a newborn baby found stuffed in a trash bag along railroad tracks with the umbilical cord still attached.

#### **CHURCH VANDALS**

# March 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's Carter Evans reported on the second vandal attack at the same Baptist church, where bricks were thrown against windows.

## **MOUSSAOUI RULING**

# March 14, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:32)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on the trial of Zacarias Moussaoui and how the possibility of him getting the death penalty could be slipping away.

## **ARYAN BROTHERHOOD**

# March 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:32)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on the notorious prison gang, the Aryan Brotherhood and how there is a surprising connection between that particular gang and the mob.

## **POLICE IMPOSTER**

# March 14, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:18)

KCAL9's Rick Chambers reported on an imposter who managed to fool a woman without even wearing a police uniform.

## **CELLPHONE CRIMINALS**

# March 16, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:56)

KCAL9's Jennifer Sabih reported on police who overheard two arsonists on their cell phones planning a crime.

## **PAIGE TAX TIME**

# March 16, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:54)

KCAL9's consumer reporter Randy Paige reported on tips to finding tax services.

## **SMUGGLED PUPPIES**

# March 16, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Stacy Butler reported on a local pet storeowner who was arrested for illegally selling a sick puppy to an undercover officer.

#### **BOMB BLAST**

# March 17, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:31)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on a young boy who was left seriously injured after fireworks blew up in his bedroom.

## **ANAHEIM DENNY'S SHOOTING**

# March 17, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:32)

KCAL9's Orange County Reporter Dave Lopez reported on the third deadly shooting at a Denny's restaurant, where one teenager was killed.

# **SUBWAY ROBBERY/CRIME SPREE**

## March 17, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on a subway robbery that was caught on surveillance tape.

## **SEX OFFENDERS MOTEL**

## March 17, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:56)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on sex offenders who were placed together in one motel by the state, leaving city officials in an outrage.

## **MOUSSAOUI TRIAL**

# March 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:46)

KCAL9's Drew Levinson reported on the ongoing of Zacarias Moussaoui's trial and how the F-B-I agent who arrested Moussaoui took the stand.

#### **CREDIT CARDS STOLEN**

## March 20, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on a man who has been living on stolen credit cards for seven months.

## **DEPUTY SHOT**

# March 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Rick Chambers reported on how an attempt to pull over a car ended with three people shot.

#### **ROAD RAGE REWARD**

# March 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on the road rage death of a teenager whose family is offering a reward because no suspects have been found.

## **JUVENILE ESCAPEES**

## March 23, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:59)

KCAL9's Carter Evans reported on the search for four juveniles who used bed sheets to climb a ceiling and escape, one being a suspect in an attempted murder.

#### ATTEMPTED KIDNAPPING

# March 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:49)

KCAL9's Jennifer Davis reported on the hunt for a suspect who was kicked and fought off after attempting to kidnap a 14-year-old girl.

## **DEAD BABY FOLO**

# March 27, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on the missing parents of a baby who was wrapped in plastic shopping bags and left to die next to railroad tracks.

#### **PUPPY MILLS PART 2**

# March 27, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:19)

KCAL9's Stacy Butler reported on an exclusive story of sick and dieing puppies sold to unsuspecting families, leaving police to bust local puppy mills.

#### **MARIJUANA BUST**

# March 27, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:53)

KCAL9's anchor/reporter Dave Clark reported on an indoor pot farm bust that appeared to be a legitimate business from the outside.

## **DEPUTY SHOT**

# March 28, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on a sheriff's deputy who was shot and killed in front of a friend's house.

## **COLD HIT CASE**

# March 28, 8-9P newscast (TRT 2:02)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Michele Gile reported on a program that has already led to the D-N-A match of 2,000 sexual assault suspects in California.

#### **SECOND METRO ATTACK**

## March 28, 8-9P newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9's anchor Pat Harvey reported on an exclusive story of a woman who came forward to speak about how she survived a savage attack on the MTA.

# **HEALTH AND MEDICINE**

## **WEIGHT LOSS RESOLUTION**

## January 1, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Christina Penza reported on tips to help people get motivated in order to achieve their new year's resolution of losing weight.

## **BAY BOOMER HEALTH**

## January 2, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on the ways people can work out and get in shape despite their age and physical limitations.

## **NEW MEDICARE RULES**

# January 2, 12-1p newscast (TRT 3:05)

KCAL9's Chris Huntington reported on the impact the New Year brings to senior's drug coverage under the Medicare program and also how to choose the right plan.

## **I-POD WARNING**

# January 4, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:20)

KCAL9's Suraya Fadel reported on the possible harmful effects I-pods can have on people's ears if they don't tone down the listening habits.

#### **WEAK COUGH SYRUP**

## January 9, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:01)

KCAL9's Lisa Sigell reported on cough syrups people run to for help during the flu season, but they may not always be the best choice when it comes to relieving that relentless cough.

#### **OBESITY STUDY**

# January 10, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:53)

KCAL9's Health-watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new study that says how even at healthy cholesterol and blood pressure levels one extra pound can shorten your life span.

## **BIRD FLU OUTBREAK**

# January 10, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9 anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on how the bird flu keep moving closer to the west as new cases of the disease were reported in Turkey.

## **COFFEE SMARTS**

## January 11, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:18)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Diva Henry reported on a new study that suggests how drinking that cup of Joe can help you keep energized and focused throughout the day.

## **BLADDER CANCER BREAKTHROUGH**

## January 11, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new test helps doctors detect the very early stages of bladder cancer in as little as one hour.

## **BLOOD SHORTAGE**

## January 11, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:30)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on the Red Cross's serious blood shortage and how people can help by donating blood.

## WHAT IS INFLAMMATION?

## January 12, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:43)

KCAL9's Health watch reported Dilva Henry reported on ways to ease body inflammation for people who suffer from this condition, including good diet and exercise habits.

#### SLEEP DISORDER

# January 12, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:40)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on on teenager who suffers from Klein Levin Syndrome (KLS), there are only 500 cases known worldwide where people sleep for weeks or even months, they only eat, go to the bathroom and sleep. If the patient tries to stay up they can become confused and in a foggy state of mind. There is no known cure for the disease.

## PANDEMIC PLANS

# January 19, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:15)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on how California health officials prepare a plan for a possible flu pandemic.

## **HEART TO HEART**

# January 19, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:09)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on heart disease as the number one killer women in America and how local Beverly Hills Mayor gets a jumpstart on heart health month.

## **BLOOD THINNER SUPPLEMENTS**

## January 31, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:13)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Hery reported on certain blood thinners that can have adverse effects on your health if they combined with certain supplements.

## SO LONG, SOY

## February 1, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:28)

KCAL9's Health Watch Reporter Dilva Henry reported on the debate over the benefits of soy and while many experts say consumers shouldn't give up soy, a new report shows that it may not be the wonder food many have claimed.

## **HEPATITIS INVESTIGATION**

## February 2, 8-9p newscast (TRT 3:34)

KCAL9's investigative reporter David Goldstein reported on whether the health department is doing enough to fight Hepatitis A, while sharing documents that shed more light on the spread of the virus.

## **GO RED HEART DAY**

## February 3, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:35)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the facts about women and heart disease with staggering numbers.

#### **MIGRANE RELIEF**

## February 6, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:14)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new medication that can provide relief to migrane sufferers.

#### **LOW FAT DIET CANCER**

# February 7, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:28)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a study that reveals how low fat diets for post-menopausal women don't always reduce their risk of cancer levels.

#### **UNSAFE SUPPLEMENTS**

# February 8, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:59)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the dangers of herbal supplements that many consumers aren't aware of.

# **ANOREXIA AT 40**

# February 8, 2-3p newscast (TRT 3:50)

KCAL9's anchor Laura Diaz reported on the disturbing trend of anorexia affecting older women.

## **WRONG AGE**

## February 12, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:28)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Michele Gile reported on a 100-plus year old woman who says she lives her life to the fullest.

## **FERTILITY**

# February 12, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:36)

KCAL9's Elizabeth Cohen reported on how long women should "wait" to have children.

## LOW CARB/HIGH CHOLESTEROL

# February 13, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:08)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the downside of low carb diets and how they relate to cholesterol.

## RECORD HEART PUMP

# February 13, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:42)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on how a young boy with a failing heart is finally receiving one after several record breaking months of surviving with an artificial heart.

## **HEART DISEASE**

# February 14, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:36)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on new research that suggests more woman may be at risk for heart disease and that it is difficult to diagnose and treat it among women than men.

## LIVING WELL/VEGAN DIET

## February 14, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:20)

KCAL9's anchor Harold Green reported on a Vegan diet to help lose weight.

#### **IBS TREATMENT**

# February 15, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:33)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a major breakthrough in how to treat irritable bowel syndrome.

## **BOTTOMS UP LEASH**

## February 16, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:19)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry a helpful new solution for dogs with arthritis.

#### **BACK PAIN**

## February 18, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:36)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new device used by sports therapists to help people with back pain. Some patients say it gives them relief while critics say the device may cause other problems.

## **62 YEAR OLD MOM**

## February 20, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:49)

KCAL9's anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on a California woman who became one of the oldest women in the world to have a child.

#### **HORMONE HEADACHES**

## February 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:28)

KCAL9's anchor Mia Lee reported on ways to treat hormone headaches.

#### **CANCER SCREENING PART 2**

## February 24, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:13)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the most common types of cancer found among men and women and what they can do to help prevent them.

#### PREMATURE BABIES

## March 1, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9'S Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new study that is aimed at preventing premature births by focusing on a natural hormone that can help keep mother from delivering early.

## **AUTISTIC PLAYER**

#### March 1, 9-10p newscast (TRT :35)

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on an autistic teenager who scored six 'three pointers' in four minutes during a basketball game.

#### DO I LOOK FAT IN THIS?

# March 3, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:05)

KCAL9's Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on Fat-Free Friday that is aimed at forgetting about those extra pound and be happy about the way we look.

## **CANCER SIDEBAR**

## March 7, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:12)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on how women who don't even smoke can become victims of lung cancer.

## **AMBIEN DANGERS**

## March 8, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:44)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the dangers of the popular sleeping pill Ambien and how it is linked to traffic accidents, as it is in the top 10 list of drugs found in impaired drivers.

## **SODA SMOKING DECLINE**

## March 9, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:17)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on the decline of soda and cigarette sales for the first time in 50 years.

#### **DIABETES**

## March 11, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:13)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the link between America's diabetes epidemic to America's growing waistline and what some people are trying to do about it.

## **TEEN HEARING LOSS**

# March 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:39)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the rise of hearing loss among young people and sheds light on the possible causes.

#### FITTEST FOODS

## March 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Michele Gile reported on food experts and what they have identified as the 20 foods that should be a part of a regular diet.

#### PRE SKIN CANCER THERAPY

#### March 17, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:21)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new and painless treatment that kills pre-cancer cells.

#### 90-YEAR-OLD TRAINER

## March 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:20)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on a 90-year-old fitness trainer who has defied his age, in training generations of Hollywood stars.

#### **BREAKTHROUGH DEPRESSION**

## March 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:50)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported the results of a new groundbreaking study that may change the way depression is treated.

## **NEW BETTER HIPS**

## March 25, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:10)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on new technology that gets patients back on their feet one day after hip replacement surgery.

## PREMATURE DELIVERY TEST

## March 26, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:38)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a simple test that can give a woman an excellent indication of whether she will have a premature delivery.

## PIGS / GOOD BACON

# March 27, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:02)

KCAL9's Orange County reported Michele Gile reported on the key ingredient that can make bacon healthy enough to possibly prevent certain diseases.

#### SOY AND OBESITY

# March 28, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the possible affects of soy and it's relation to a slimmer America.

## **SLEEP APNEA**

## March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:12)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on the rise of sleep apnea among women who are often undiagnosed.

# **MINORITY AND COMMUNITY**

#### **IMMIGRATION MEETING**

## January 4, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:16)

KCAL9 anchor David Jackson reported on a city council meeting in the city of Costa Mesa where an immigration law aimed at training police officers to enforce immigration laws was discussed. One protestor who was arrested during the meeting after going over his allotted time during public comment.

## **EMINENT DOMAIN**

## January 9, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:14)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on one business owner who refuses to back down from having his business shut down by a city that cites eminent domain.

# RE-LEAD COLD OPEN LA CONCHITA

# January 10, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:27)

KCAL9's Sandra Mitchell reported on local surfers who pay homage by tossing flower garlands into the ocean to celebrate the lives of those who died one year ago in the La Conchita landslide.

#### LA CONCHITA

# January 10, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:25)

KCAL9's Sandra Mitchell reported on the one-year anniversary of the La Conchita landslide that buried 10 people.

#### **BURBANK DAY LABOR**

# January 10, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:15)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on city fathers that are being accused of supporting illegal immigration for asking a new Home Depot store to provide space for day laborers.

## **UPSCALE BARBER**

## January 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9 Inland Empire reporter Craig Feigner reported on an new barber shop where men can pamper themselves a little more than usual and even get a manicure to go along with their trendy haircuts.

## **HOMELESS COUNT**

# January 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:59)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on the latest survey that calls for urgency in the homeless problem along the streets of Los Angeles.

## **MORENO VALLEY SIGN**

## January 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Greg Mills reported on the measures the city is taking in order repair their landmark sign.

## **DAY LABORERS**

## January 12, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:25)

KCAL9's Greg Phillips reported on the grand opening of a Home Depot store that offers a day labor center, surprisingly there were no protests over what was expected to be a controversy.

## **KINGDOM DAY PARADE**

## January 15, 9-10p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9 Anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on the expected closures for the parade honoring the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and also on the holiday closures.

## **TET FESTIVAL**

# January 28, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:24)

KCAL9's Kimberly Ball reported on the 24<sup>th</sup> annual 'TET' festival celebrated by many Vietnamese-American families in the southland.

# CHALLENGER 20<sup>TH</sup>

# January 28, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:40)

KCAL9 anchor Linda Alvarez reported on the 20th anniversary honoring the seven astronauts who died that day.

#### **INDIAN BURIAL SITE**

# January 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on Indian remains that were found by workers building a new retail project. These findings could affect the 500 million dollar real estate development.

## **GETTY VILLA**

# January 28, 8-9p newscast (TRT:28)

KCAL9 anchor Linda Alvarez reported on the re-opening of the cultural landmark. The renovated site includes new galleries, auditorium and a brand new theater.

#### **LUNAR NEW YEAR**

## January 29, 8-9p newscast (TRT:34)

KCAL9 anchor Dave Clark reported on how children were being taught the significance of the lunar new year while they had loads of fun.

#### I HAVE A DREAM

## January 29, 10-11p newscast (TRT:56)

KCAL9 anchor Dave Clark reported on the honor received by actor Samuel L. Jackson for sharing the commitment to underprivileged children in Los Angeles with the 'I Have A Dream Foundation.'

## KING TRIBUTE FIRST AME

# January 31, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9 anchor/reporter Dave Clark reported on the tribute to Coretta Scott King by the First AME church for her fight on equality and social justice.

#### CORETTA SCOTT KING

## January 31, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:07)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on the community reaction to the passing of Mrs. King and the legacy she left behind.

## **WORKPLACE VIOLENCE**

# January 31, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's Stacey Butler reported on the increase of violence in the workplace by women according to a recent report.

## PARAPLEGIC FLIGHT

# February 5, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:40)

KCAL9's Josh Rubenstein reported on the first paraplegic woman who made history when she made her dream of flying solo.

## **FOSSETE FLIGHT**

# February 5, 9-10p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9 anchor Dave Clark reported on famed-balloonist Steve Fossett who plans to break a 20-year old record by flying around the world without stopping.

## **ROCK CARS GUITARS**

# February 6, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:41)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on the celebration of fifty years of rock-and-roll at the Peterson Automotive Museum with an exhibition of cars and memorabilia.

#### **GO RED HEART DAY**

## February 6, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:28)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on "Go Red Day", a time to recognize the importance of women's heart health and spread awareness that more women die of heart disease than men.

#### KING FUNERAL

## February 7, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:27)

KCAL9's anchor Pat Harvey reported on the funeral of Coretta Scott King and the slew of celebrities, presidents and other thousands of people that paid their last respects to the woman that many consider the "First Lady" of the civil rights movement.

## JAIL RIOT FOLO

## February 9, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:04)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on an advisory committee of local clergy and community leaders that got a "no-holds-barred description from inmates of what life is like inside the Castaic correctional facility, after days of violent rioting.

## **SEX OFFENDER SHUFFLE**

# February 11, 10-11p newscast (TRT 5:45)

KCAL9's investigative reporter David Goldstein reported on an exclusive story where sex offenders were being shuffled throughout motels in the city near schools.

#### **RELIGION AT WORK**

## February 11, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:21)

KCAL9's Josh Rubenstein reported on a debate between people who pray at work and people who feel it to be inappropriate.

#### **LESBIAN MARRIAGE LICENSE**

# February 14, 3-4p newscast (TRT:34)

KCAL9's anchor Mia Lee reported on same-sex activists that applied for marriage licenses but were denied.

#### **GROCER RETURNS**

## February 15, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:02)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on a beloved grocer who returns to his business after an illness caused him to leave.

#### MAYOR/GLOVER

## February 16, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:01)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on a nationwide campaign, supported by L-A Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa, that creates awareness to boost pay and benefits for millions of working-class hotel employees.

#### MARCH FOR DIGNITY

# February 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:32)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on a march held to bring attention to the needs of L-A County's homeless.

#### **MORALES EXECUTION**

## February 20, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Joe Vasquez reported on the eve of Michael Morales' execution and how the U-S Supreme Court refused to block his execution.

#### **NAACP AWARDS**

# February 20, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:15)

KCAL9's Dave Clark reported on the 16<sup>th</sup> annual NAACP awards celebrating African Americans in the arts.

## PEEPING TOM

# February 21, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's Jennifer Sabih reported on a woman who unexpectedly found an intruder underneath her bed.

#### **CHILD KILLED**

# February 22, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:30)

KCAL9's Mark Sayre reported on how a boy and his grandmother were struck by a big rig while crossing the street.

#### **FATAL PURSUIT**

# February 23, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:54)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on how an innocent cab driver was killed during a highspeed chase.

## **HOLLYWOOD SIGN**

## February 24, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:27)

KCAL9 Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on the controversy surrounding the Hollywood Sign and how some developers want to buy the land to place radio towers or homes around it.

#### **ANTI GAY DEMOS**

## February 25, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:53)

KCAL9'S anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on the families of dead gay military officers in their battle against anti-gay groups targeting the funerals.

## KOMEN RACE FOR THE CURE

## February 26, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:05)

KCAL9'S Christina Penza reports on Pasadena's 10<sup>th</sup> annual Race For the Cure for breast cancer.

#### **COMMUTER STUDY**

## February 28, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9'S Carter Evans reported on a new study that points out to gridlock as the high price people have to pay for living in Southern California.

#### MUSLIM CARTOON PROTEST

## February 28, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:56)

KCAL9's Dave Clark reported on the outrage over the cartoons of the prophet Muhammed that has spread to an Orange County University campus.

## **MAHONY IMMIGRANTS**

## March 1, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on cardinal Roger Mahony's plead to his congregation to commit their practices to immigration reform.

#### **CHP WIFE**

# March 1, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:33)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on an exclusive story where a widow shares her husband's courage and patriotism for his country abroad and here at home.

#### **MEXICAN FOOD**

## March 1, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:33)

KCAL9's Josh Rubenstein reported on a brand new Mexican restaurant that is making people turn in the ketchup for the salsa.

## **CONSUMMER STUDY**

# March 1, 12-1p newscast (TRT:40)

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reported on a study that revealed how the average Southern California commute has gone up to the fourth highest on in the state in the last fifteen years.

## **CHP FUNERAL**

## March 1, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9 Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on funeral services being offered by a Sheriff's officer who died in the line of duty after returning from a one-year service in Iraq.

#### **MEXICO BUILDING**

## March 6, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:31)

KCAL9 Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on a company that facilitates the building of houses in Mexico to people who want to do it for their families from U.S. soil.

## **DANA REEVES DIES**

# March 7, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:37)

KCAL9's Jennifer Davis reported on the death of Dana Reeves, widow of "Superman" Christopher Reeves and her battle with lung cancer.

## PRIEST SHORTAGE

## March 7, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:27)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported despite the decline of men entering the priesthood, the trend is going the other way for one Vietnamese community.

## **GORDON PARKS**

## March 8, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:01)

KCAL9's anchor Sandra Mitchell reported on the remembrance of Gordon Parks, Hollywood's first major African American photographer and director and how he has helped clear a path for those in his footsteps.

## **EMINENT DOMAIN**

## March 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:10)

KCAL9's Christina Penza reported on a Long Beach church that may be forced to move for a proposed condominium if the city seizes its land through "eminent domain."

#### **FEMALE POLICE CHIEF**

## March 14, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:13)

KCAL9's Dave Clark reported on the first female officer to run a police department in Los Angeles County in more than 100 years.

#### THE LENT EXEMPTION

#### March 14, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegner reported on how Riverside and San Bernardino county Catholics celebrating St. Patrick's Day on Friday are exempted from Lent.

#### PEDESTRIAN SAFETY

#### March 16, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on an L-A city councilman who is calling for a study of dangerous intersections and measures that can make them safer for pedestrians.

#### **CAPITOL RECORDS**

### March 16, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:32)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on how some developers are considering turning the Capitol Records building, L-A's most recognizable landmarks, into condominiums.

### LAST CHILD REUNITED / KATRINA March 16, 9-10p newscast (TRT :45)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on the reunion of Hurricane Katrina's last missing child with her family in Houston. The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children and a website database helped unite the family after rescue efforts separated the child from her mother.

#### ST PATS DAY / DUI CHECKS

## March 17, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:34)

KCAL9's Kimberly Ball reported on enforcement efforts to screen drivers at D-U-I checkpoints across Southern California on St. Patrick's Day.

#### CANTER'S 75

## March 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on Canter's famous deli celebrating their 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary by selling some deli rolls for the price of what they were 75 years ago.

#### MARINES RETURN

# March 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:10)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported from Twenty-Nine Palms on the welcome home return of marines from Iraq to their families in the U-S.

#### **GENESIS AWARDS**

## March 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:10)

KCAL9's anchor Dave Gonzales reported on a special honoree at the annual "Genesis" awards, sponsored by the U-S Humane Society. "Katrina" a black lab was honored for rescuing a man during Hurricane Katrina, swimming out into floodwaters and pulling him to safety.

#### **IMMIGRANT BUSINESS**

### March 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:07)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Michele Gile reported on a controversial measure that is creating anxiety in Costa Mesa because it would allow police to enforce immigration laws, which are causing business owners in the area to lose business.

#### **IMMIGRATION RALLY**

### March 25, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:17)

KCAL9's Christina Penza reported on a march in downtown Los Angeles where half a million people protested a new bill that would crack down on illegal immigrants and their employers.

#### **CHAVEZ / IMMIGRATION RALLY**

## March 26, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:17)

KCAL9's Christina Penza reported on another march in downtown Los Angeles where eight thousand people gathered to honor Cesar Chavez and protest against immigration reform.

#### **IMMIGRATION REFORM**

### March 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on students who walked out during class and marched towards L-A city hall to protest against immigration reform.

#### **BOWN EASTER SUNRISE**

# March 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9's anchor Dave Gonzales reported on the return of Hollywood Bowl's 85<sup>th</sup> Easter sunrise service, which was originally canceled because of construction.

#### **SANTA ANA PROTESTS**

## March 27, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:49)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on a rally being held to protest against immigration reform.

# **RUNNION BLUE RIBBON**

# March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:27)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Michele Gile reported on a new campaign aimed to stop child abuse and neglect in Orange County.

#### **DEPUTY FUNERAL**

### March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT:35)

KCAL9's anchor Sandra Mitchell reported on the final farewell of an L-A sheriff deputy who was killed in collusion while pursuing a suspect.

## **ENVIRONMENT**

#### **TEAM COVERAGE/STORM WATCH**

### January 1, 9-10p newscast (TRT 4:46)

KCAL9's Carter Evans reported from Pasadena, CA on how Rose Parade staff gets the floats ready for the new year's parade despite the rain. KCAL 9's Ross Palombo reported on the coastal rain and floods in that area. KCAL'9s Suzie Suh reported from the Orange County area on the eminent land slides and how people can prepare.

#### STORM INSURANCE

#### January 3, 12-1P newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCA9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on how some rain damage may not be covered by homeowner's insurance while some potential damage is non-insurable.

#### **BOTTLED WATER**

### January 3, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on how the Department of water and power is facing heavy criticism for over bottled water purchased for their own employees.

#### **HEMLOCK INVASION**

#### January 3, 3-3:30p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Rick Chambers reported on 'Hemlock' a poison herb that is invading a local valley and is chocking southern California's native grasses.

#### STORM TRASH

#### January 4, 4p-5p newscast (TRT 2:20)

KCAL9's Chistina Penza reported on how heavy rains caused a huge trash clean up effort in the Long Beach area due to big piles of trash and debris.

# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA QUALITY OF LIFE January 5, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:20)

KCAL9's Rick Chambers reported on how life in Southern California is not scoring so bright and sunny anymore, especially with several 'Ds' and 'Fs' in various areas.

#### **AUSTRALIA SHARK**

## January 8, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:59)

KCAL9's Glen Walker reported on how a popular beach in Australia's eastern coast was closed after a 21 year-old woman was attacked while she swam with her friends.

#### LA NINA

## January 12, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:08)

KCAL9's Jennifer Sabih reported on how the La Nina weather phenomenon gains momentum and strikes this time with dry weather.

#### **COMET NASA**

### January 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 0:53)

KCAL9 anchor Glen Walker reported that after a seven year mission space craft 'Stardust' comes back home to bring what it found: dust particles from a comet that formed since some four and half billion years ago.

### MORENO VALLEY'S BIG 'M'

# January 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's Greg Mills reported on how the big 'M' that sits up in the Moreno Valley mountains was damaged during the heavy rains and what was done to restore it.

#### **HIGH WINDS**

## January 15, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:47)

KCAL9's Suzie Suh reported on the high wind advisories for the southern California area.

#### STARDUST RETURN

## January 15, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:22)

KCAL9's Ross Palombo reported on the return the space capsule that brought back space dust that could tell scientists how the solar system began.

#### **BEACH SEWAGE SPILL**

# January 16, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:12)

KCAL9's Carter Evans reported on a massive raw sewage spill that threatened the closing of several beaches along the coast.

#### **NEW ANIMAL SPECIES**

## January 19, 12-1p newscast (TRT: 25)

KCAL9's Sandra Mitchell reported on the 27 new animal species that were found in the Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks. Due to their sensitivity these species can be good indicators of environmental problems or changes.

#### **BEACHES CLOSED**

#### January 31, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:21)

KCAL9's Jennifer Sabih reported on how beachgoers were disappointed when two stretches of Manhattan Beach were closed due to high levels of bacteria caused by a sewage spill.

#### TRAFFIC FLOW

#### February 3, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:21)

KCAL9's anchor Pat Harvey reported on L-A's toll roads as a less hightech plan to alleviate traffic.

#### **WILE E. COYOTE**

### February 3, 2p-3p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's Rick Chambers reported on an intense search for a coyote on the loose when he was spotted during daylight hours at a park while children were at play.

# LIVE TEAM COVERAGE / ANAHEIM HILLS FIRE February 6, 2p-3p newscast (TRT 2:08)

KCAL 9's Orange County reporter Michele Gile reported from fire lines and evacuation centers on a fast-moving fire in the Cleveland National Forest while KCAL 9's meteorologist Henry DiCarlo reported on the winds that played a huge factor in the fire.

#### **CAR POOL**

## February 6, 2p-3p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL 9's Jaime Garza reported on car pool lanes and how they are getting more crowded because some solo drivers are taking a chance and breaking the law just to cruise faster along the lanes.

#### **NEW TRASH RULES**

## February 7, 3p-4p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL 9's Jaime Garza reported on new rules that make it illegal to throw away certain items in a regular trash bin.

#### **HIGH WINDS**

## February 8, 2p-3p newscast (TRT 1:20)

KCAL 9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on high winds in the area that could possible spark fire.

#### **FEBRUARY GARDENING**

## February 9, 4p-5p newscast (TRT 2:29)

KCAL 9's Amy Johnson reported on tips to help make your garden grow for the spring season.

#### LAX DELAYS

# February 12, 9p-10p newscast (TRT 1:27)

KCAL 9's Suzie Suh reported on flight delays and cancellations at L-A-X airport.

#### LAX INVESTIGATION

# February 13, 9p-10p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Sandra Mitchell reported on how the government is seeking answers after screeners at L-A-x Airport reportedly failed an undercover security test.

### **AIRPLANE ILLNESS**

# February 17, 4p-5p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's anchor Harold Green reported on whether plane rides breed germs-causing illnesses and what people can do to stay healthy.

## WRIGHTWOOD SNOW

# February 18, 8p-9p newscast (TRT 1:40)

KCAL9's Christina Penza reported on how a cold winter storm is headed to some local ski resorts with several inches of fresh new snow.

#### **BIG BEAR SNOW**

# February 19, 8p-9p newscast (TRT 1:27)

KCAL9's Mary Sayre reported on how the Snow Valley ski area is finally having snow after an unusually dry season.

### **MOUNTAIN SNOW**

## February 20, 8p-9p newscast (TRT 1:25)

KCAL9's inland empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on snow fall in the Southland mountains and how business is booming at local ski resorts.

#### PLANES COLLIDE

# February 20, 10p-11p newscast (TRT 1:30)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on how one Continental plane collided with another Continental flight while taxiing down the runway.

#### **GERMS ON THE JOB**

# February 21, 8p-9p newscast (TRT 1:46)

KCAL9's Ross Palombo reported on which jobs put people in most contact with germs.

#### **POSTAL DELAYS**

# February 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:02)

KCAL9's Paul Dandridge reported on ways that the post office is trying to save money.

### FREEWAY PROBLEMS

# February 23, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:53)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on what officials are trying to do about a particularly deadly section of the 210 Freeway where the number of crashes has doubled from the year before.

# INLAND EMPIRE WEATHER WATCH

# February 27, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:42)

KCAL9's Greg Mills reported on the danger of flash floods for the many homes in the Fontana area due to the heavy rains expected.

## STORM TEAM COVERAGE

# March 3, 12-1p newscast (TRT 4:40)

KCAL9'S team coverage of the storm included reporter Amy Johnson from Burbank, reporter Suraya Fadel from the Grapevine and Meteorologist Henry DiCarlo from our Hollywood studios.

## WRIGHTWOOD SNOW

## March 3, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9'S Greg Mills reported on the heavy snowstorm that fell on the mountains of Wrightwood.

### MARS ORBITER

# March 8, 10-11p newscast (TRT 2:29)

KCAL9'S Amy Johnson reported on the preparation and countdown of Nasa's Mars reconnaissance orbiter.

#### **NEW CRUSTACEAN**

## March 8, 12-1p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9's anchor Sandra Mitchell reported on the discovery of a new crustacean found near Easter Island, so different that scientists created a new genus and family for it called, Kiwa Hirsuta.

#### **RESTAURANT COMPOSTING**

### March 9, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on what one local restaurant is doing with their customer's leftovers instead of throwing it in the trash.

#### WATER/SATURN MOON

### March 9, 9-10P newscast (TRT 2:23)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on a scientific discovery of what appears to be water on Enceladus, the shiniest object in space, which raises new possibilities of other life out there.

#### LIVE TEAM STORM COVERAGE

#### March 11, 8-9P newscast (TRT 3:51)

KCAL9's Carter Evans reported from North L-A's Grapevine, KCAL 9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegene reported from local mountains and KCAL 9's meteorologist Josh Rubenstein all reported on cold temperatures, rain and snow across Southern California.

#### **COLD HOMELESS**

#### March 12, 8-9P newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Ross Palombo reported on how local shelters are struggling with the overwhelming amount of homeless that are brought in because of cold winter nights.

#### CARPINTERIA SHARK WARNING

## March 14, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:10)

KCAL9'S Mark Coogan reported safety measures city leaders are taking to avoid shark attacks for beach goers.

#### SINKING HOMES

#### March 16, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:49)

KCAL 9's Paul Dandridge reported on homes in one neighborhood that have faulty foundations.

#### **SPRING COLOR**

### March 17, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:02)

KCAL 9's anchor Ann Martin reported on Decanso Gardens' annual garden show.

#### **RAIN WATCH**

## March 17, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:02)

KCAL 9's Jaime Garza reported on a cold storm with possible hail and funnel clouds in Agoura Hills.

#### CALABASAS SMOKING

## March 17, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:01)

KCAL 9's Chris Lawrence reported on Calabasas' new anti-smoking ordinance which bans smoking almost everywhere except the inside of your own home.

### **ANTELOPE VALLEY STORM**

# March 17, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:44)

KCAL 9's Suzie Suh reported on heavy rain, hail and snow fall in the Antelope Valley.

#### CYCLONE LARRY

## March 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:22)

KCAL 9's Alison Harmelin reported on a weather disaster in Australia that has left thousands of people homeless.

## **SPACE SHIPPING**

# March 23, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:13)

KCAL 9's anchor David Jackson reported on Nasa's search to find a contractor to begin shipping cargo to space and bids to develop commercial space ships to carry astronauts to the moon and other planets.

### **BIRD FLU PREPS**

# March 26, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:33)

KCAL 9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on the social precautions L-A-X airport is taking to deal with bird flu in the U-S.

## **REGGIE DOCUMENTARY**

## March 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:37)

KCAL 9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on an elusive alligator named Reggie, who was found in Machado Lake and is about to wake up from a long winter slumber.

#### **HWY 330 WORK**

## March 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:36)

KCAL 9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on repairs made to HWY 330 after storm damage left it to be shut down for weeks.

#### **PASADENA RAIN**

### March 28, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:38)

KCAL 9's Paul Dandridge was on storm watch and reported on rainfall in Pasadena.

#### SOLAR ECLIPSE

# March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:13)

KCAL 9's Mark Phillips reported on tourists and scientists from around the globe gathering to watch the first total solar eclipse in years.

# **EDUCATION AND YOUTH**

#### TEEN TRIP

# January 3, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9 reported on 16 year-old Farris Hassan, a Florida teen who traveled to Iraq without his parents permission as a Journalism school project. He claimed he wanted to experience first-hand the move of Iraq towards Democracy.

#### SCHOOL FUNDING

# January 4, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:56)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on Governor's Schwarzenneger's announcement that he was giving back the money he borrowed from education funds in order to balance the state's budget.

#### SNOWBOARDER RESCUE

# January 5, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9 Anchor David Jackson reported on a local teen who survived a frigid night in the cold mountains of Utah after he was trapped in a huge snowstorm.

### LIBRARY REOPENS

# January 9, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:05)

KCAL9 anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on the million dollar renovation of a Hollywood library, it was made possible though public and private funds; the library was also featured in the movie 'The Big Sleep.'

## DOGS HELP KIDS READ

# January 10, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:26)

KCAL9's Inland Empire Reporter Craig Feigner reported on how dogs are not just helping bust the bad guys or help the disabled, they are now helping kids learn how to read.

## **HIGH SCHOOL SEX OFFENDER**

# January 12, 3-3:30p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Anchor Mia Lee reported on the arrest of a student imposter in Minnesota who was a sex offender.

#### SCHOOL FIRE

## January 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Susie Suh reported on the intense search for an arsonist who set an elementary school on fire.

#### **SLEEPY TEENS**

# January 13, 2p-6p newscast (TRT 1:13)

KCAL9's Dilva Henry reported on how parents can help teens perform better in school by sticking them to a routine as soon as they get home from school, so they can get their homework done and get to bed early to avoid them from being sleepy in school the next day.

## LANCASTER SCHOOL PLOT

# January 13, 2-3p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9's Rick Chambers reported on how rumors of a Columbine style attack prompted parents to pull their kids from school. Sheriff's department said there are no credible threats and it is all believed to be an Internet hoax.

#### **HOMELESS BEATINGS**

# January 15, 9-10p newscast (TRT:55)

KCAL9 anchor Dave Clark reported on two Florida teens who turned themselves into police after viciously beating three homeless men with a baseball bat, killing one of them.

## SCHOOL BANS DANCE

# January 19, 10-11p newscast (TRT :42)

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported on a San Francisco area school that is banning 'Freak Dancing' from their school dances after parents chaperoned a school dance and where stunned by what they saw.

### **VAN NUYS SCHOOL**

# January 19, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:15)

SKY9's Derek Bell reported over the scene of breaking news when a suspect was taken into custody after reportedly shooting a child with a B-B gun.

## NEW ORLEANS SCHOOL MONEY

# January 22, 9-10p newscast (TRT:29)

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on a rejection by the Federal Disaster Loan program of 87 million dollars to the New Orleans school system after the Katrina disaster. The school system is appealing the decision and claims the money is vital to keep the schools from running out of cash.

#### KIDS ID THEFT

# January 26, 8-9p newscast (TRT:50)

KCAL9 anchor David Jackson reported on steps young people need to take in order to avoid identity theft. The age group of 18-29 is the most victimized since they are not as savvy about safeguarding their information.

#### SCHOOL EVACUATION

# January 26, 8-9p newscast (TRT:20)

KCAL9 anchor David Jackson reported on a bomb scare at a local high school that resulted on a temporary evacuation. A few hours later suspicious duffel bag was found no word of what was in the bag. The bomb squad cleared students back to class.

#### PRESCHOOL STUDY

# January 27, 9-10p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9 Anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on a study conducted by the University of California that found out that the benefits of preschool wear out by third grade for non-English speaking children.

#### **TEEN DRIVING**

# January 30, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Ross Palombo reported on a new website that can help parents learn of their teen's driving habits while they're behind the wheel.

## VERBUM DEI HIGH SCHOOL

# February 1, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on a high school that has been on lockdown for several weeks because of gang members in the neighborhood.

## LAUSD / PRE SCHOOL

# February 1, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on the new partnership of the L-A Unified School District and Los Angeles Universal Pre-School to create new high-quality classrooms for more four-year-olds.

## KIDS EXERCISE

# February 1, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:00)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new videogame that combines exercise to help fight childhood obesity.

#### **TEEN SAVES NURSE**

## February 5, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Robyn Young reported on a nurse that saved a young boy's life and ten years later he saved hers.

#### **YOUTH GRANT**

## February 6, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on an East Los Angeles program that helps young people get their high school diploma and also teaches them job skills. This program was financially rewarded on this day to continue supporting their cause.

#### \$700,000 HUD YOUTH GRANT

## February 6, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:01)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on a financial support being granted to a local program that helps young people finish high school and help better communities.

#### **SCHOOL BUS SHOOTING**

## February 6, 3-4p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on a student who accidentally fired a gun while on a school bus, wounding one other student.

#### **RACIAL TENSIONS**

## February 8, 12-1p newscast (TRT:54)

KCAL9's anchor Mia Lee reported on how some parents of students at a high school are upset over how officials are handling threats against African American students, after racial slurs were painted on a school building.

## MYSPACE SCHOOL SHOOTING

# February 9, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:41)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on a rumor of a school shooting posted on the My Space website, which kept many students away from school.

#### **SCIENCE BOWL**

# February 11, 8-9p newscast (TRT:44)

KCAL9's anchor Linda Alvarez reported on the Regional Science Bowl where high school students competed in a rapid-fire question and answer tournament.

#### SCHOOL HOUSE BUILD

### February 13, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:05)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on how one local elementary school is helping to reach out to one homeless family after four hurricanes ripped across Florida.

#### **VDAY ATTACK / SECURITY**

## February 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on the safety measures school officials are taking after two students were arrested for plotting a Columbine-like attack on a high school.

#### **MAGIC DIPLOMAS**

## February 14, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:47)

KCAL9's anchor Linda Alvarez reported on how Lakers legend "Magic" Johnson is teaming up with school officials to teach students the importance of education.

#### **DEAD CHEERLEADER**

## February 16, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:07)

KCAL9's Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on a 14-yearold cheerleader who felt sick at cheer practice and later died of a heart attack.

#### **PUDGY KIDS BULLYING**

# February 20, 8-9p newscast (TRT:40)

KCAL9's anchor David Jackson reported on a study that found that obese school children are twice as likely to be bullied than leaner children.

#### **TEACHER REWARD**

## February 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:43)

KCAL9's Lisa Sigell reported on how a middle school teacher has been awarded millions of dollars after being falsely accused of kidnapping and molesting a teenage girl.

#### **CRENSHAW AERIALS**

# February 22, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Ross Palombo reported on a lockdown at Crenshaw High School after security guards found intruders who were later arrested. One officer suffered a broken nose, the other with minor injuries. No students were hurt.

## **SCHOOL CLOTHES**

# February 23, 4-5p newscast (TRT:30)

KCAL9's anchor Ann Martin reported on how one volunteer group gave new clothes, toys and school supplies to more than a hundred disadvantaged school children.

#### PHYSICS DAY

## February 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9's Rick Chambers reported on how students found a natural physics lesson on a trip to Knott's Berry Farm for the annual physics day.

#### **URBAN YOUTH BASE**

# February 28, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:20)

KCAL9's Josh Rubenstein reported on a new state of the art youth sports academy that may on day lead kids to the major leagues of baseball.

#### **RIVERSIDE EDUCATION**

# March 1, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:19)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Feigner reported on a local high school that made a remarkable turnaround from 20 years ago when only 20 students headed to college compared to this year where 200 will be attending.

## **READ CROSS AMERICA DAY**

# March 2, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:43)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on an elementary school that invited special guests who share their passion of reading as part of THIS literacy day.

## SKID ROW STUDENTS

# March 6, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:04)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on local college students who will be spending time in Downtown's Skid Row during their Spring break.

#### **UC FEES**

# March 7, 12-1p newscast (TRT:25)

KCAL9's anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on a lawsuit brought from students against the University of California claiming fee increases amounted to a breach of contract. The judge ordered the university to pay nearly 34-million dollars to 9-thousand students.

# **UTLA / LAUSD CONTROL**

# March 9, 9-10p newscast (TRT:50)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on the debate of whether L-A Mayor Villaraigosa should take control of the L-A Unified School District.

#### **CANCER BABY**

# March 9, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:59)

KCAL9's Suzie Suh reported on the birthday celebration of the first infant on record to have cancer before she was born. Her story inspired girls to donate their hair for other young cancer survivors.

#### AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM DELAY

# March 9, 9-10p newscast (TRT:59)

KCAL9's political reporter Dave Bryan reported on a proposed bill that would ask voters to delay implementation of proposition 49, which sets aside funds for after-school programs.

## SCHOOL CLOSURES

# March 12, 8-9p newscast (TRT:15)

KCAL9's anchor Glen Walker reported on school closures in the San Bernardino mountains because of snow.

# ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL SWEETS March 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:09)

KCAL9's orange county reporter Michele Gile reported on how administrators across the Orange County school districts are discussing 'wellness policies' to avoid childhood obesity in their schools.

#### **UTENSILS STOLEN**

# March 14, 4-5p newscast (TRT 2:15)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on how one local religious school is dealing with theft problems on campus.

### **TEEN SURVEY**

# March 16, 4-5p newscast (TRT:25)

KCAL9's anchor Dave Gonzales reported on survey polling more than 45 thousand teens about their fears of going to war.

#### TOXIC SCHOOL

## March 16, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:14)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on a new L-A middle school that may have been built on toxic chemicals, leaving parents and community leaders outraged, accusing the school district of covering up the contaminated dirt.

#### KIDS INHALANTS / DUSTING

# March 17, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's anchor Harold Green reported on a new government report that suggests more kids are getting high off of using substances found in their kitchens or garages.

### **ACADEMIC DECATHLON**

## March 20, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:05)

KCAL9's anchor Harold Green reported on one California high school's win in the academic decathlon, beating out 55 schools from around the state.

#### JPL ROBOTS

# March 25, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:19)

KCAL9's Ross Palombo reported on a group of high school students who built an athletic robot and have entered their work in Southern California's Regional Robotics competition.

### 911 KID HONORED

# March 25, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9's anchor Glen Walker reported on a girl who is being honored for saving her mother's life by making a calm 911 call.

## MAYOR MEETS PROTESTORS

# March 27, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:00)

KCAL9's anchor Dave Gonzales reported on how students protesting against immigration reform were able to meet with Mayor Villaraigosa to share their concerns.

### **PROTEST IMPACT**

# March 28, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:18)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on the impact that schools are facing because of student walkouts and protests against immigration reform.

### TEENS SLEEP

# March 28, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:39)

KCAL9's Health Watch reporter Dilva Henry reported on a new poll that finds high school students are living with a lack of sleep.

#### KIDS OBESITY

# March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on what L-A school administrators are doing to fight obesity in children.

#### TRUANCY CRACKDOWN

## March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:10)

KCAL9's anchor Sandra Mitchell reported on how police and school officials are now issuing truancy citations in wake of student walkouts and protests against immigration reform.

#### **REIGNER RESIGNS**

### March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT:25)

KCAL9's anchor Dave Gonzales reported on the resignation of Rob Reigner from the California Pre-School Commission, blaming personal political attacks regarding tax payer dollars.

#### KIDS IN MOTION

## March 29, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:44)

KCAL9's Cynthia Bowers reported a new research project that's exploring new boundaries in education.

# **CONSUMER AND ECONOMICS**

#### RIM OF THE WORLD SLIDE

### January 2, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:42)

KCAL9's Greg Mills reported about the treacherous travel along Interstate 5 during the southland's first major storm of the new year.

# CREDIT REPORT THREATS

## January 3, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Carter Evans reported on the consequences that will appear on people's credit report if they don't pay their traffic or court fines on time.

#### **CARS FOR WOMEN**

### January 4, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:54)

KCAL9's Lisa Sigell reported on car companies that are targeting women and their families to help meet their needs when it comes to vehicle manufacturing.

#### RESELLING GIFTS

## January 4, 8-10pm newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported on a post-holiday trend for disappointed gift-getters who are reselling their gifts online .

#### TAX FEE DISPUTE

# January 4, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:33)

KCAL9 Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported about information from the IRS on how much people should pay to get their taxes prepared.

### **AIR FARE WAR**

## January 4, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:03)

KCAL9 Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on the airfare competition between airlines during the winter months with low prices that go back twenty years.

### **ELECTRONIC SHOW**

# January 5, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:47)

KCAL9's Manuel Gallegus reported on the thousands of cool new gadgets available to the public at the annual consumer electronic show in Las Vagas.

#### **POSTAL RATES**

# January 7, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Mark Sayre reported on how mailing that bill or letter will cost two more cents as the new postal rates go into effect.

#### **BUSINESS MOM**

# January 09, 9-10p newscast (TRT 1:46)

KCAL9 Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on how a mom started her own line of baby products after her baby developed a rash. A business she now operates from her home garage.

## **CONSUMER PAGE SEGEMENT**

# January 9, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:56)

KCAL9 consumer reporter Randy Page reported on a brand new study that can help you save money on prescription drugs.

### **CD BURNER MYTHS**

# January 10, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:40)

KCAL9's Josh Rubenstein reported on how your precious memories can be in jeopardy if you are burning them into a CD.

### **GOVENOR'S BUDGET**

# January 10, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:45)

KCAL9's Mark Coogan reported on the Governor's new proposed budget that triggers billions of dollars in new spending without raising taxes.

#### **HOME LENDING**

# January 11, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:49)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on the fixed rate loans available to people who want to buy a home.

## GAS MPG/PRICES

# January 11, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's Suraya Fadel reported on government regulations that can influence your choices when it comes to buying a brand new car.

## DRUG TESTING

# January 12, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on how the drug testing and background check industry is not just servicing business, but is now expanding to homes.

#### LATE MAIL

# January 12, 10-11p newscast (TRT 1:58)

KCAL9's Juan Fernandez reported on the complaints by many Southern California residents about receiving their mail very late in the afternoon or even days late.

#### INTERNET LONG DISTANCE

## January 15, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:07)

KCAL9 consumer reporter Randy Page reported on how long distance international calls have become easier and cheaper.

#### **WOMEN IN BIZ**

### January 28, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:16)

KCAL9 Orange County reporter Dave Lopez reported on the growing trend of women owning the workplace at a record pace.

#### MARKET TURMOIL

# January 29, 9p-10p newscast (TRT 2:12)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on how the increase in gas prices can go as high up as three dollars a gallon.

#### **EXXON MOBIL**

## January 31, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:14)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on how the oil giant's big quarterly profits created a new wave of demands for profit tax on the oil industry.

#### INTERNET IDENTITY THEFT

## February 1, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:54)

KCAL9's anchor Ann Martin reported on tips to help consumers protect themselves from Internet scams called "phishing."

#### **CAR POOL**

# February 3, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:01)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on how carpoolers enjoy the steady flow of traffic on the freeways during peak hours tempting 'solo' drivers to break the law.

#### MORTGAGE SCAMS

## February 6, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:17)

KCAL9 Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on scams aimed at having people refinance their mortgage at very low rates that could mean trouble later.

#### **BOARD FIRST**

## February 14, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on a company's new plan that charges consumers five dollars extra for an "A" boarding pass, allowing the them to choose exactly where they want to sit and with whom they want to sit by.

#### **REAL ESTATE CRASH**

# February 15, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on talks of a slowdown and possible crash in the real estate market.

#### **FREE 411**

## February 16, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:43)

KCAL9's consumer reporter Randy Paige reported on an alternative way for free 4-1-1 cell phone calls.

#### **REALTORS**

# February 17, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:09)

KCAL9's Money Man Alan Mendelson reported on a real estate crash in one community that may have been caused by high selling prices.

## **CELL PHONE CHARGES**

# February 19, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:01)

KCAL9's consumer reported Randy Paige reported on the costly charges of dialing 4-1-1 from a cell phone and how consumers can put that money back in their pockets.

## MIDDLE CLASS COSTS

# February 21, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:40)

KCAL9's Health Watch reported Dilva Henry reported on the increasing medical costs that some large companies are no longer paying for their middle class employees.

## MORTGAGE CHECKING

# February 21, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:40)

KCAL9's money man Alan Mendelson reported on a new complicated plan in home mortgage that is combines your home loan with your checking account in order to cut mortgage interest payments.

#### L-A FILM PRODUCTION

## February 22, 9-10p newscast (TRT:44)

KCAL9's anchor Pat Harvey reported on a proclamation given by Mayor Villaraigosa that pledges to eliminate fees for filming on L-A city property in an effort to keep production and avoid the loss of thousands of jobs.

#### **INLAND EMPIRE JOBS**

## February 22, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on the Inland Empire as one of the top areas in the nation where the most jobs are now being created.

#### TAX AUDITS

## February 22, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Money Man Alan Mendelson reports on how the I-R-S is trying to audit more taxpayers during this income tax season to go after back taxes and alimony payments.

#### **BUILD DOWN**

## February 25, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:04)

KCAL9's money man Alan Mendelson reported on a new house building trend where you can expand your house without taking up more land.

#### DO NOT CALL

# February 26, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's consumer reporter Randy Paige reported on cell phone companies who can possibly sell your cell phone numbers to telemarketers.

### **IRS REFUNDS WAITING**

# February 26, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's money man Alan Mendelson reported on tax refunds of up to 500 dollars or more for thousands of California residents.

## \$10,000 Options

## March 1, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on how high interest rates can affect not only your home loans and credit card, but also your bank savings.

#### **VEHICLE CRASH TESTS**

### March 6, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:00)

KCAL9's Alexis Christoforous reported on the latest 2006 mid-sized car crash tests that show how manufacturers are taking new steps to improve passenger safety.

#### I-D FRAUD LIST

#### March 6, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:50)

KCAL9's money man Alan Mendelson reported on the dangers of identity theft that can range from your credit reports to being in trouble with the police.

#### **ENERGY TAXES**

# March 7, 12-1p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's money man Alan Mendelson reported on new tax incentives for homeowners who are planning to remodel.

#### **HOME PRICES**

## March 8, 12-1p newscast (TRT 2:20)

KCAL9's money man Alan Mendelson reported on homeowner concerns that adjustable mortgage rates are going up.

#### **E-R TROUBLE**

### March 9, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's Suraya Fadel reported on hospital emergency rooms that are locking their doors and 'turning away' emergency vehicles.

### **CARBON MONOXIDE WARNING**

# March 14, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:44)

KCAL9's Suraya Fadel reported on safety tips for the home to avoid becoming a victim of carbon monoxide.

#### SENIOR SCAM WARNING

## March 17, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:56)

KCAL9's Amy Johnson reported on forum held to educate senior citizens on how to avoid home improvement scams, identity theft and investment fraud.

## AIRPORT SCREENER GAPS

## March 17, 9-10p newscast (TRT 2:11)

KCAL9's anchor Sylvia Lopez reported on a government investigation that suggests that airport screeners aren't doing their job in keeping un-assembled bombs off planes.

#### **TAX REFUNDS**

# March 17, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:57)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on tax refunds, suggesting that taxpayers use them to pay off credit card debt.

### POISON PROOF HOME TOUR

# March 20, 2-3p newscast (TRT 2:12)

KCAL9's Suraya Fidel reported on measures that the L-A County Health Department and California's Poison Control Center are taking to make sure homes are "poison proof."

### **RANDY PAIGE INTRO**

## March 20, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:19)

KCAL9's consumer reporter Randy Paige reported on a local clinic that was saved by efforts made from KCAL 9's consumer team from being shutdown because of an unpaid copier bill.

#### **GAS AT \$3**

## March 20, 8-9p newscast (TRT 1:48)

KCAL9's Moneyman Alan Mendelson reported on the reason for gas prices rising to \$3 per gallon at some stations.

### TRAIN CRASH DEMO

## March 23, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:51)

KCAL9's Jaime Garza reported on a new high-tech, government plan that will make commuter trains safer.

## PAIGE FILE SHARING

# March 23, 2-3p newscast (TRT 1:55)

KCAL9's consumer reporter Randy Paige reported on tips to protect computer users from file sharing that can possibly lead to cyber attacks.

### **VONS COUPONS**

# March 23, 4-5p newscast (TRT 1:44)

KCAL9's Inland Empire reporter Craig Fiegener reported on how some Vons grocery stores are doing-away with double coupon offers in order to cut costs.

## **CONSUMER PAIGE**

# March 27, 8-9p newscast (TRT 2:06)

KCAL9's consumer reporter Randy Paige reported on a new G-P-S navigational device that can be built right into cell phones.